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CROSSTALK MITIGATION IN A MODEM POOL ENVIRONMENT

PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR

1.181(a), BASED ON TIMELY FILING OF A RESPONSE TO ELECTION

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Sir:

This Petition is filed in response to the Notification of Abandonment dated March 11, 2004, issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application.

The Notification of Abandonment states that the Applicant failed to reply to the Election/Restriction Requirement dated June 26, 2003.

Applicant attaches hereto a copy of the Response to Election Requirement as filed on July 21, 2003 with the United States Patent and Trademark Office and a copy of the postcard

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stamped by the United States Patent and Trademark Office, evidencing receipt by the Patent Office on June 21, 2003.

Therefore, the Response to Election Requirement was timely filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the United States Patent and Trademark Office withdraw the Notice of Abandonment and allow the continued prosecution of the above-identified Application.

If any fee is required, the undersigned attorney hereby authorizes the Patent Office to charge such additional fee to Deposit Account 05-0649.

Respectfully submitted

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